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REQUEST FOR ONE MONTH TIME EXTENSION AND RESPONSE

In response to the September 10, 2004 Office Action requesting a correction of Applicants' previous Preliminary Amendment filed on June 30, 2004, Applicants hereby enclose a corrected Amendment. Applicants respectfully request entry of the present corrected Amendment prior to examination. The fee under 37 CFR 1.17(e) should be charged to Deposit Account 13-2755.

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the U.S. Postal Service as first class mail addressed to: Commissioner for Patents, Box 1450, Arlington, VA 22313-1450, on the date appearing below.

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